

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVANTS – Housing Department - Sri K. Rajeshwar, former Assistant Engineer(H), Kotagiri (M) Nizamabad District, (Removed) – Appeal against Punishment of Removal from service besides recovery of Rs. 7,12,666/- Admitted – Punishment – Reduction – Orders – Issued.

HOUSING (VC.A1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 74

Dated: 30/04/2016.

Read the following:

- 1) From the M.D., APSHCL Proceedings No. Vig.(4)/13009/NZB/2009-1 dated 05.03.2011.
- 2) From Sri K. Rajeshwar, DEE(H), Utnoor former AE (Removed from service) Nizamabad District, representations dated 15.03.2011, 08.04.2015.
- 3) From the M.D., APSHCL(TS), Hyderabad Lr. No. Vig(4)/13009/NZB/ 2009-1, dated 25.07.2015.
- 4) Govt.Letter.No.1179/VC.A1/2011-3, dated 28.09.2015.
- 5) From the Managing Director, TSHCL, Hyderabad Lr.No.Vig(4)/13009/NZB/2009-1, Dated:16.02.2016.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Managing Director, APSHCL, Hyderabad has concluded departmental proceedings against Sri K. Rajeshwar, former Assistant Engineer(H), Kotagiri (M) Nizamabad District by awarding the punishment of "removal from service" along with recovery of Rs. 7,12,666/- as per clause (ix) under rule-9 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 based on the charges of irregularities, in execution of INDIRAMMA Housing Programme in Kothapally (V), Kotagiri (M) of Nizamabad District held proved against him.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Sri K. Rajeshwar, former Assistant Engineer(H), Kotagiri (M) Nizamabad District has requested the Government to set aside the proceedings of the MD., APSHCL imposing penalty of "removal from service" along with recovery of an amount of Rs. 7,12,666/- imposed by the Managing Director, APSHCL, Hyderabad.

3. Government after examination of the records relating the disciplinary proceedings have directed to the MD., TSHCL to conduct further enquiry in respect of Sri K. Rajeshwar, former Assistant Engineer (Removed), Kotagiri (M) Nizamabad District in accordance with Rule 40 (1) (iv) (c) of the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 in the interest of justice vide reference 4th cited.

4. Accordingly, the MD., TSHCL instituted an Inquiring Authority vide his proceedings dated 29.10.2015. The Enquiry Officer in his enquiry report has stated that the irregularities in release of payments to the 57 ineligible beneficiaries is proved to a tune of Rs.7,12,666/-. Thus, the charges of irregular payment causing loss of Government funds was held proved in the further inquiry against the Accused Officer.

5. After detailed examination of the material on record, Government observed that some of the alleged payments are done with the recommendation of the Mandal Housing Officer and some without the recommendation of the Mandal Housing Officer. In the enquiry the loss caused to the Government is determined as Rs. 7,12,666/-. Hence, it is decided that an amount of Rs. 7,12,666 has to be recovered from him.

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6. After careful examination, Government hereby reduce the punishment of "Removal from Service, imposed on Sri K. Rajeshwar, former Assistant Engineer (Removed), Kotagiri (M) Nizamabad District by the Managing Director., APSHCL, Hyderabad to that of "withholding of (3) three Annual Grade Increments with cumulative effect, besides recovery of the sum of Rs. 7,12,666/- "and the Managing Director, TSHCL is directed to "reinstate him into service without pay and allowances for the removal period".

7. The Managing Director, TSHCL, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

G.ASOK KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri K. Rajeshwar, former Assistant Engineer(H), Kotagiri (M) Nizamabad District(Removed from Service) through the MD, TSHCL, Hyderabad.

The Managing Director, TSHCL, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER